

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING" section with the following marked-up section.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

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~~FIG. 1 shows~~ FIG. 1(A) is a top plan view of a golf tee related to an embodiment of this invention. (A) is a top plan view, while (B) invention, and FIG. 1(B) is a side elevation thereof.

~~FIG. 2 shows the section of a golf tee related to an embodiment of this invention. (A) is a sectional view along the line A-A of Fig. 1. (B) is an end view along the line B-B of FIG. 2 (A).~~ FIG. 2(A) is a sectional view of the golf tee taken along the line A-A of FIG. 1(A), and FIG. 2(B) is a sectional view along line B-B of FIG. 2(A).

~~FIG. 3 is a descriptive illustration~~ FIGS. 3(A) through 3(C) are descriptive illustrations showing the process of sticking a ball into the ground. (A) ground, wherein FIG. 3(A) shows the state before pressing the ball-tee into the ground, while (B) FIG. 3(B) shows the condition when the ball tee is stuck-being pushed into the ground, and (C) shows FIG. 3(C) shows the condition after the hand has left-from-released the ball and tee.

~~FIG. 4 is an illustration~~ FIGS. 4(A) through 4(C) are illustrations showing the action of the golf tee at the time of a shot. (A) shot, wherein FIG. 4(A) shows its condition before the shot, while (B) shows FIG. 4(B) shows its condition immediately after the shot, and (C) shows FIG. 4(C) shows its condition when the ball-holding member has returned to the original state.

~~FIG. 5 is a schematic view~~ FIGS. 5(A) and 5(B) are schematic views showing the process of an insert molding by using an injection mold. (A) mold, wherein FIG. 5(A) shows a

broken view of an injection molding mold, while ~~(B) shows~~ FIG. 5(B) shows its joined condition.

~~FIG. 6 is a descriptive illustration showing a variation of the connecting member.~~ (A) is a partial side view showing a variation of the ball-holding member and the connecting member, while ~~(B) is~~ FIG. 6(B) is a sectional view along the line B-B of ~~the~~ FIG. 6 (A).

~~FIG. 7 is a descriptive illustration~~ FIGS. 7(A) through 7(D) are descriptive illustrations showing a variety of stick pins provided with means of preventing extrication. ~~(A) extrication, wherein FIG. 7(A) is a stick pin provided with a plurality of cavities, while (B) FIG. 7(B) is one provided with multiple-stage arrowhead-like grooves.~~ grooves, FIG. 7(C) is one with a spiral screw, and FIG. 7(D) is one with a small through hole.

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